## BR WN RAYSMAN

RECEIVED CENTRAL FAX CENTER

FEB 0 6 2004

BROWN RAYSMAN MILLSTEIN FELDER & STEINER

1880 Century Park East, Suite 711 Los Angeles, CA 90067

> Voice: 310-712-8300 Fax: 310-712-8383

OFFICIAL

FROM: PHONE:

Ivan Posey

310-712-8311

DATE:

February 4, 2004

CLIENT/MATTER#:

10487-1

PLEASE DELIVER AS SOON AS POSSIBLE TO:

RECIPIENT

COMPANY

U.S. Patent & Trademark Office

FAX NO.

PHONE No. 703.305.8130

703.872.9306

703.746.9392

Stefano Karmis Examiner Art Unit 3624

Total number of pages including this page: 21

If you do not receive all the pages, please call me at 310-712-8311.

## MESSAGE:

Please see attached documents for Applicant's Supplemental Amendment And Response To December 23, 2003 Office Action for Application Ser. No. 09/491,747.

THIS TRANSMISSION IS INTENDED ONLY FOR THE PARTY TO WHOM IT IS ADDRESSED AND MAY CONTAIN PRIVILEGED AND CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION. If you are not the intended recipient, you are hereby notified that any use, dissemination or copying of this transmission is prohibited. If you have received this transmission in error, please notify us immediately by telephone and return this transmission and any copies to us by mail. Thank you.



PTO/SB/97 (08-05)
Approved for use through 07/3 1/2008. OMB 0651-0031
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office; U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it contains a valid OMB control number

## Certificate of Transmission under 37 CFR 1.8

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being facsimile transmitted to the United States Patent and Trademark Office

Date

Signature

Ivan Posey

Typed or printed name of person signing Certificate

Note: Each paper must have its own certificate of transmission, or this certificate must identify each submitted paper.

- 1) Fax Cover Sheet (1 page)
- 2) Transmittal Form PTO/SB/21 (08-00) (1 page)
- 3) Supplemental Amendment And Response To Office Action (18 pages)

This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.8. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 172 and 37 CFR 1.14. This collection is estimated to take 1.8 minutes to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

If you need assistance in completing the form, call 1-800-PTO-9199 and select option 2.

4		
	-	
_		

TRANSMITTAL			Application Number		09/491,74	7	
			Filing Date		01/27/2000		
FORM (to be used for all correspondence after initial filing)		First I	Named Inventor	Brad S. K	onia		
		Group Art Unit 3624					
			Exam	ner Name	Stefano P	armis	
Total Number of Pages in This Submission 20		Attom	ey Docket Number	10487/1			
		ENCL	OSURES	(check all that apply)			
Fee Transmittal Form			Assignment Papers (for an Application)		After Allowance Communication to Group		
Fee Attached		Drawing(s)		Appeal Communication to Board of Appeals and Interferences			
Amendment / Response (Supplemental)		Licensing-related Papers		Appeal Communication to Group (Appeal Notice, Brief, Reply Brief)			
After Final		Petition		Proprie	Proprietary Information		
Affidavits/declaration(s)		Petition to Convert to a Provisional Application		Status	Letter		
Extension of Time Request		Power of Attorney, Revocation Change of Correspondence Address		Other Enclosure(s) (please identify below):			
Express Abandonment Request		☐ Terminal Disclaimer ☐ Request for Refund		Certficate Of Fax Transmission Under 37 C.F.R. 1.8		ion	
☐ Information Disclosure	Statement	CD, N	uniber of	CD(s)			
Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)		Rema	ırks				
Response to Missing P Incomplete Application						•	
Response to Missin Parts under 37 CF 1.52 or 1.53					_	· · · · · -	
	SIGNAT	URE OF	APPLIC	ANT, ATTORNEY,	OR AGENT		
Firm or Ivar Individual name	n Posey						
Signature							
Date 02/6	02/04/2004				-	<del></del>	
			OTICIA	ATE OF MAILING			_
I hereby certify that this co	maenondonco le				tal Sarvino se	first class mail in an envel	nne
addressed to: Assistant C	-					/2004	
Typed or printed name	Ivan Posey			,			
Type or printed flamo					Data	000040004	

Burden Hour Statement: This form is estimated to take 0.2 hours to complete. Time will vary depending upon the needs of the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you are required to complete this form should be send to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, Washington, DC 20231. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, DC 20231.